

## National & Global Youth Service Day April 21-23, 2006

**N&GYSD** is the largest service event in the world, engaging millions of young Americans and focusing national attention on the amazing leadership of young people.

Serve DC, Executive Office of the Mayor, is organizing National & Global Youth Service Day in DC for the fifth year in a row as the local lead agency designated by Youth Service America. Last year, more than 8,000 participants of all ages volunteered in 75 community service projects!

## **How Can I Get Involved??**

- Mobilize your community youth and young adults to plan a service project!

  To register your project with Serve DC as an official part of N&GYSD 2006, please fill out a project information form available at <a href="https://www.serve.dc.gov">www.serve.dc.gov</a>.
- Attend, provide support, funding or entertainment for our opening ceremony to be held on Friday, April 21st from 4-6 at Turkey Thicket Recreation Center, (Brookland Metro Stop Red Line). The opening ceremony will incorporate guest speakers, entertainment, food, music and free give-a-way items! To assist in the planning of this event please contact <a href="mailto:claire.laver@dc.gov">claire.laver@dc.gov</a>, 202.727.7925 or 202.997.5361.
- Participate in a N&GYSD Project! For those who are unable to plan a project, we encourage you to participate in a service project planned by another group. A detailed list of all projects will be available on our website, <a href="https://www.serve.dc.gov">www.serve.dc.gov</a> by the beginning of April.
- Assist with general outreach by hanging up posters and flyers around your community, offering advertisement space in your publication, or encouraging your friends and colleagues to participate. Additional outreach materials are available on our website.

## **Get Involved Today! Please Contact:**

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